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## MINERS' STRIKE

### Declared On and Off in One Week.

#### The Mines again in Operation

The labor situation in Jackson has materially improved. On Saturday the Jackson Miner's Union, associated with the Western Federation, declared a strike against the Kennedy, Argonaut and Zeila mines. Typewritten notices were posted up in two or three places about town to that effect. The following is a copy of the notices posted:

To Whom It May Concern:

Having refused to grant to the underground men, the eight-hour day, in compliance with the state law of California, and having refused to meet and discuss the differences between their employees and themselves: We the members of Jackson Miners Union No. 115 of the Western Federation of Miners as a part of said employees, do hereby call an official strike, against the Kennedy Mining Company, The Zeila Mining Company, and the Argonaut Mining Company, operating in Amador County, California, and call upon all men to desist from work in any capacity, for the above companies until such time as the eight-hour day is granted them.

This strike is called after repeated attempts on the part of the men involved to bring about a peaceable adjustment of the difficulty between their employers and themselves; and the refusal of the companies to treat with them in any manner, and demanding both ways and lunch on the same time, in contravention of the law, forces the resorting to drastic measures on the part of the men involved, for the protection of their rights and the enforcement of the law.

By order Jackson Miners Union No. 115.

THOS. CORRA,  
Acting Secretary.

J. F. HUTCHINSON,  
Executive Board Member W. F. M.

It is singular that the only names signed to this document are the two delegates from the outside, Jos. Hutchinson, who is a member of the executive of W. F. M. and Thos. Corra, who is acting secretary of the Jackson Union, since E. Datson, the regularly elected secretary resigned his position last week, on account of wrangles growing out of the present trouble. The notices did not have an appreciable effect upon the situation. Certainly the declaration of a strike neither enticed those at work to quit, nor deterred others from going to work who were so disposed. It weakened the cause of the strikers rather than helped them. The truth is public opinion is strongly against the men for quitting work in the way they did. The questions in dispute are not capable of a settlement by strike methods. Neither concessions by the mine owners, nor the giving in of the mine workers will definitely settle the issues involved. They are matters for the courts to decide. It is merely a question of the proper interpretation of the law, and the courts are specially instituted for that purpose.

The Kennedy has fared better than other mine hereabouts. Its works are inclosed by a good fence, and armed guards are stationed at different points to prevent trespassing. They have their own boarding house and sleeping rooms sufficient to accommodate nearly 100 men. Tuesday they had a force of 40 men underground.

The Argonaut force was reduced Monday. No one was working underground, the repair crew having been induced by intimidation to quit. At the Zeila the same condition prevailed. Nothing doing beyond keeping out the water.

Both Monday and Tuesday mornings a crowd of Austrians and Italians gathered for the purpose of intercepting the few men on their way to the Kennedy. The Kennedy grade was picketed in this way, also the trail through the Piccardo field. Sheriff Gregory and his deputy W. Connors, also constable Laverone, were also out to see that no violation of the law was made. It must be admitted that the firm stand of the officers in this emergency had a wholesome effect in deterring the strikers from attempts at violence. When a man appeared on his way to work at the mine, the strikers would line up across his path. He was thereby compelled to push his way through, or stop to be talked to by the strikers. The spokesman for the latter was Jos. Hutchinson. He was the talking as well as the walking delegate. Not another man showed up among the crowd capable of discussing the situation in the English language. The only persuasion resorted to by the mob was calling

"scab," meaning "scab." Some paid no attention to this insulting epithet; others were riled up and in one or two instances hurled defiance, and dared any one of the mob to repeat the insult to his face. In one instance an employee of the Kennedy in pushing his way through a line of strikers, elbowed one of them off the sidewalk into the ditch along the roadway. Hutchinson called the sheriff's attention to it. "See that," he said, in a tone that implied that it was time for the official to take up the matter. The sheriff replied to the effect, that the obstructionist got just what was coming to him.

The employees say that they could not have gotten through the crowd had it not been for the presence of the officers. On Tuesday the sheriff's office posted up at the corner of Court and Main streets a typewritten notice, giving extracts from the penal code, in regard to assembly of crowds in the streets and highways, and other provisions bearing upon this situation. This had wholesome effect. No act of violence has been committed and no one has been arrested.

Wednesday morning there was no gathering of strikers to waylay the men on their way to work. They had evidently made up their mind to quit. The Kennedy had 80 men underground that morning, and the mill was restarted with 40 stamps dropping. At the Argonaut from 15 to 20 men went to work in addition to the surface men. The mill came to a standstill the end of last week. It will take several days to do the necessary repair work in the shaft preparatory to taking a full working force.

During Wednesday the miners flocked to the several mines in droves applying for work. They realized that the strike was a failure, and by delay their chances of getting employment would be jeopardized. There was no discrimination as regards nationality. Naturally, the men who had taken an active part in inciting the men to go out were not wanted. At the meeting of the Miners Union held Wednesday evening, after a stormy discussion, the strike was officially declared off, by the vote of the very men who had precipitated it. It is said the walking delegates were for continuing the struggle; but the better counsel prevailed. Or rather, the fear of losing all opportunity to get back to work was the controlling factor in ending the trouble.

Yesterday morning the Kennedy had 130 men underground; the Argonaut had all the force they could utilize at present, until the shaft is put in shape. The Zeila gathered in quite a working force. The miners have settled down to the conclusion that the strike was ill advised and hasty. The Kennedy mill started up 40 stamps Thursday, the fill complement will be dropping in a few days. At the Zeila the mill will be started forthwith as everything in the shafts and drifts was put in first class condition immediately preceding the strike. The Argonaut will take a week or so to get in running order again, preliminary to starting the mill.

The other mines are getting along nicely. The South Eureka kept its 20 stamp mill running all through the crisis, but the 20 stamps of the Central Eureka which were running on South Eureka ore, had to be hung up.

The Bunker Hill and Fremont will no doubt resume milling operations in a few days.

The men who have mainly contributed to break this strike are the few employees of the Kennedy, who, in face of insult and threats, continued at their work at that mine, running the gauntlet of the string of pickets night and morning on their way to and from the mine. Several of them were small in stature, but they were all big in moral courage and stamina, and refused to be intimidated by the tactics of the strikers. A number of times they passed through the picket lines without the presence of peace officers. Conscious that they were defending their rights as American citizens they, few against the mob, fought the strike to an utter collapse.

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#### Golden Rule Order.

Z. P. Smith, principal of the Berkeley Business College, was in Jackson and other parts of the county last week. His particular business in addition to advancing the interests of the college in every way possible was to organize lodges of the Golden Rule Order of the World—a organization to promote the carrying out of the golden rule laid down by the man of Nazareth, "Do unto others as you would have others do unto you." It is purely a moral movement for the uplifting of humanity. He spoke to the pupils of the Preston school, and also several other points in Amador county.

Mr Smith informs us that he has organized a club of this order among the school children of Jackson with 40 charter members. Also a club at Sutter Creek and Amador City in connection with the schools there. He intends to go east shortly, in carrying out the principles of the order there. The motto adopted by this new organization is, "Be good, do good, make good." Truly no better motto for the guidance of human actions could be devised.

#### NOTICE.

By an Act of the recent legislature, all persons desiring to procure a marriage license are required to appear personally at the office of the county clerk.

In accordance with the aforesaid Act, the general public is hereby notified of the above requirements, and hereafter both prospective bride and groom must appear at my office, otherwise a license cannot be issued.

Dated May 18, 1909.

JOHN R. HUBERTY,

County Clerk.

#### Unclaimed Letters.

J. Baldisera, S. B. Burich, S. Kovacevich, Frank Lorko, Maria Marchini, Elia Masiash, Ilja Nikolich, A. C. Presley, jr., Camillo Rossi, Mrs L. Seabury, Mrs W. Shore 2, Risto Vucovich, Martin Jelinich.

#### Whooping Cough

"In February our daughter has the whooping cough. Mr Lane, of Hartland, recommended Chamberlain's cough remedy and said it gave his customers the best of satisfaction. We found it as he said, and can recommend it to anyone having children troubled with whooping cough," says Mrs A. Goss, of Durand, Mich. For sale by Jackson Drug Store, Spagnoli, prop.

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#### MINING NOTES.

Garibaldi Placer.—The clean-up of the Garibaldi placer claim at Voclano has progressed to the extent of 600 feet of the pay channel, leaving 200 feet more to be cleaned up. There has been taken out so far fully \$13,000, and the other portion is expected to bring up the season's run to fully \$20,000. Jos. Garibaldi the owner, was in Jackson yesterday, and displayed some of the big nuggets taken out. The two biggest chunks weighed nearly four ounces; the largest being worth \$40 and the other \$30. There is pay gravel enough to last for years. He will make a clear profit, after paying all expenses of getting the claim in running order, of \$11,000 for the season.

Hereafter he intends to abandon the hydraulic process, and resort to drifting. It is slower work, but less expensive, and the net results will probably be equal to the hydraulic method, besides avoiding the many troubles which beset that process.

Bunker Hill—This mine paid its usual dividend, No. 32, of three cents per share, on the 15th instant. Notwithstanding the strike, it was deemed by the management that there was no necessity of withholding the dividend. It has been decided to take advantage of the situation, and do some necessary work in straightening out the shaft. A bend was made in the original sinking to facilitate the work. To remove this will occupy several weeks, and no other work can be done while this is in progress, except at points above this where this repair work has to be done. It is therefore likely that the mill will be idle for a brief period. The company has a good surplus on hand—between \$60,000 and \$70,000.

Chinn-Beretta Optical Company  
Send New Representative To  
Jackson, May 24.

Mr F. W. Moore, who has been with this firm for more than ten years will make the Jackson visits. He may be consulted at F. W. Ruhser's Pharmacy, Monday, May 24th.

#### Taxpayers Notice

Timber land will be assessed at \$5 per acre.

Give in your assessment by June 1st, so I can close the rolls.

Road and poll taxes due. Delin-

quent July 1st, after which it will be

\$3 each.

CLARENCE E. JARVIS,

Assessor.

#### W. of W. Elect Officers.

Encino Circle No. 617 Women of Woodcraft elected the following officers for the ensuing term on Tues- day evening, May 18th:

Past guardian neighbor, Augusta Fleming; guardian neighbor, Eva Bastian; adviser, Della Kugne; magician, Eileen Fleming; attendant, Frances Jeffrey; sentinel, Blanche Chinn; musician, Christina Schacht; manager, Luna Clark; captain of guards, Eveline White.

In the election of two delegates and two alternates to the district convention of this order, which is to be held in June 24, at Winters, Calif. Neighbors Heath and White were elected as delegates, and neighbor Fleming and Simcich as alternates. After the meeting light refreshments were served.

#### Midnight Wedding.

At a late hour Saturday night county clerk Huberty was called up to issue a marriage license. The contracting parties were W. H. O'Neil, and Jeanette F. Hinneman.

They had met in the red light district, and concluded to join hands in a life partnership. After securing a license night watchman Parker was called into requisition to look up the justice of the peace, Alfred Goldner. That official had long before retired to rest. He was awakened from his slumbers by the intending groom, who told him his business. It was suggested that the affair be attended to in the morning. But O'Neil would not consent to this. So the justice of the peace agreed to meet the anxious couple at his office on Main street, and repaired hither in a few moments. The bride was also rustled up at the dead hour of night. At 25 minutes past 12 Sunday morning, in the presence of F. W. Parker and Chub Green as witnesses, the pair were joined in the bonds of wedlock. They are now packing up their belongings, intending to remove to San Francisco in a few days.

#### NOTICE.

##### Citizens' Meeting.

A mass meeting of the business men and citizens of Jackson is hereby called to meet in the superior court room, Jackson, on Monday next, May 24, at 2 p. m. for the purpose of taking some action to form an organization for mutual protection and to promote the interests of Jackson and Amador county generally.

Everybody is invited to attend. By order of Citizen's Committee, Jackson, May 21, '09.

Read our big clubbing offer with Bulletin in advertising columns.

## Editorial Column.

### IGNORANCE A MENACE.

The lesson of the present strike of mine employes is the danger of employing a preponderance of ignorant workers of any one class or nativity. There is no danger in employment of any number of the intelligent class, for the reason that a man of intelligence depends upon his own judgment, and cannot be swayed by the clamor of the multitude. In almost every issue that arises, the sentiment of those who think and act for themselves will be divided. They cannot be led like a flock of sheep by some bell-wether exponent of the gospel of the workingman. But with ignorance there is a tendency to accept the say-so of some self-constituted leader, and follow his directions, without the mental capacity to determine, each for himself, the right or wrong of the matter. The labor trouble that has resulted from the interpretation of the eight-hour law could not have occurred except through dense ignorance on the part of those who quit the mines under the impression that their rights under the law were not respected by the mine-owners. The men the laborers have most to fear are the professional labor agitators—the very men who pose as deliverers of the oppressed toilers from the clutches of their heartless employers. They make a business of going about seeking whom they may devour, but their prey is invariably the class whom, by their high-sounding profession of regard, they seek to redeem from bondage. They grow fat in this sort of campaign. They have no material interest in the localities in which they do their campaigning. The moving spirit is a desire to rake in the shekels from the hard earnings of the toilers. This is their main chance. And when their mission is played to a standstill in one place, they move on to another to repeat the same game upon the gullibles of another community.

### SUPPRESSING STRIKE NEWS.

The course of the big dailies of San Francisco in practically ignoring the strike of the miners of Amador county has been the subject of general comment. These papers have been apprised of the situation from start, by regular press and special telegrams, but for some unknown reason they have failed to publish the facts. The Call, several days after the trouble began, gave a statement of the dispute over the eight hour law, and announced that the miners were out in all the mines of the mother lode in Amador county. Beynon this the city papers have been silent. They have pursued a similar course in other cases of labor trouble growing out of the eight hour law in other counties. We are at a loss to account for this policy of suppressing important items of news. It is out of joint with the policy pursued in regard to like information telegraphed from points outside of California. When the Goldfields strike was on columns were devoted day after date to keep the readers posted. But here in one county—Amador—a strike involving a walk-out of over one thousand men, and the stoppage of mines producing \$200,000 per month is deemed unworthy of notice. A strike in Paris has commanded more attention from San Francisco papers than the shutting down of a dozen producing mines in this state.

### ORGANIZE FOR PROTECTION.

The crisis we have passed through the last two weeks shows the necessity of an organization on the part of the business men and property holders of the town, for self-protection. That a brace of outsiders should invade this section, and bring about a paralysis of the business interests by heading a lot of foreigners in a labor strike, without some counteracting movement on the part of citizens generally is amazing. With any sort of a local organization it is hardly possible the trick could have been turned. Organization does not mean violence against threatened violence. It simply means to offset the moral force of one set by the moral weight of another set. Perhaps the policy of doing this in the midst of a strike which has been unaccompanied by any actual violence, may be a mooted question. At any rate, the citizens ought to get together in the near future, and take some steps to guard against a repetition of the business disturbances we have gone through of late.

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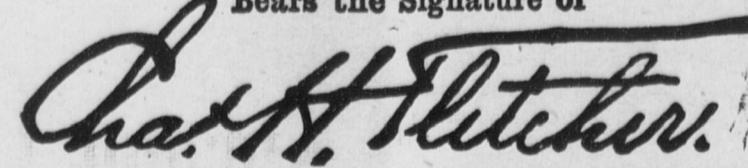
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And as they worked the victim sighed.  
He rose up in his bed.  
He groaned and felt his bandaged self.  
"Where am I at?" he said.  
The doctors cheerfully replied: "We picked you up downtown.  
Don't worry. You're all right—you're just a little bit run down."

—Dallas News.

### The Financial Genius.

"Yes, madam; I will play one-two-three pieces on ze piano for twelf dollar. An' so soon as I haf feenish I will go home."

"But I wanted you to stay and converse with my guests."

"Ah, so! Zat will be twenty dollar extra."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### A Believer All Right.

"Are you a believer in spiritualism?"  
"Yes; the ghost walks every Saturday, and by Monday I have nothing left but a hallucination."—Answers.

### Coasting.

Swift as an arrow shot from the bow,  
Safe on our coasters downward we go,  
Over the bumpers, over the dike.  
Who'd have an auto or even a bike?  
Going like lightning, going like mad!  
Where was there ever such sport to be had?

Trudging uphill, the rope in one's hand,  
Happiest we of the boys in the land.  
Snow may be icy, ice may be wet—  
Little we care for such trifles, you bet!  
Once at the top, we are off in a jiff—  
Hi, there! Look out! Clear the track,  
will you? Blif!

—Lurana W. Sheldon in Judge.

### He Takes After Mother.

The star pupil arose at the school entertainment to declaim his piece.  
"Lend me your ears!" he bawled.  
"Ha," sneered the mother of the opposition but defeated pupil, "that's Sarah Jane Doran's boy. He wouldn't be his mother's son if he didn't want to borrow something."—Tit-Bits.

### Obliging.

"Why are women so stupid?"  
"Don't you really know?"  
"No, but I want to."  
"Out of compliment to the men."

### Back to the Simple Life.

The holidays are ended.  
We'll go our humdrum way  
Of pain and pleasure blended,  
Of hard work for our pay,  
Of flukes when getting gay,  
Of efforts well intended,  
Of having much to say  
When least said's soonest mended,  
Of too much cash expended—  
Heigh-ho and welladay—  
Till we learn what's portended  
One month hence, ground hog day.  
—Indianapolis News.

### No Doubt About It.

"Yes," said the man who seemed to be thinking aloud, "it certainly does require a good deal of pluck."

"What requires a good deal of pluck?" asked the innocent bystander.

"The removal of the feathers from a live goose," explained the noisy thinker.—St. Louis Republic.

### Probably Not.

Ella—Does Fred kiss you for your mother?

Stella—Well, I don't think it's for father.—New York Press.

### Biliouskin.

I am the god of grouchiness.  
I hate like sin to smile.  
For life is mere existence;  
Not a cussed thing's worth while.  
I put the worker on his neck—  
Really it is no sin—  
For I'm the god of grouchiness.  
My name is Biliouskin.

—New York Telegram.

### At the Matinee.

Nellye—Whenever there's a cafe scene, why does the waiter always bring the bottle of champagne in with a towel around it?

Maudy—Well, champagne's a dry wine, I've heard, and I guess that's how they keep it dry.—Kansas City Times.

### Feminine Amenities.

Ella—Bella never passes a mirror without looking in it.

Stella—Brave girl.—Harper's Weekly.

### Lovely Woman.

You can tell by the way she says "Dahw!"

That she is accustomed to bossing when she flares up to find that the car won't stop the wrong side of the crossing.

—New York Telegram.

### Chance For Success.

Bleeker—Did your wife leave a will?

Meeker—Yes, but as it doesn't suit me I'm going to try and break it.

Bleeker—Well, here's hoping you may succeed better than when she was alive.—Detroit Tribune.

### Maud Muller Again.

Maud Muller on a summer day  
Raked the meadow sweet with hay.  
Then chugged the judge upon the scene  
And scented things with gasoline.

—Puck.

### But Love Is Blind.

Mrs. Stubb—John, here is where some cynical editor says that half of the love letters written these days are insane.

Mr. Stubb—Yes, and the other half are insane.—Chicago News.

### Out of Sight.

The winter girl has many charms.  
Her summer sister lacked,  
Although we miss the chubby arms  
That now are sealskin sacked.

—Brooklyn Life.

### A Bad One.

"Do yez get th' flavor of that cigar, Killeen?"

"Sure, Mr. Ryan, I could smell th' weed wid me eyes shut."—New York Herald.

## OFFICIAL MAP

—OF...

### Amador County

veys by D. C. CARLTON, showing township and school district boundaries, ownership of all lands according to assessment roll of 1904, mineral claims, canals, location of all schoolhouses; also a townsite map of principal towns, namely Jackson, Sutter Creek, Ione, Amador City, Drytown, Plymouth and Volcano.

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Amador County  
Descriptive Article

Amador county comprises an area of 548 square miles. It lies on the western slope of Sierra Nevada mountains, and embraces within its territory all the diversity of valley, foothill, and high mountainous lands.

Climate.—The climate of the populous portions of the county is as genial and healthful as can be found anywhere in California. As climate is one of the most valuable assets of this favored state in attracting population, Amador stands second to no county in this regard. It should, and no doubt will in time, when its climatic advantages are more thoroughly understood and appreciated, become a health resort not only for those in less favored states, but for the residents of other parts of California. The temperature alone the central portion rarely falls below 30 degrees above zero in winter, and as rarely rises to 100 degrees in the summer. Snow seldom falls in the settled districts, and never remains on the ground for more than a few hours. Of course, in the high mountain regions of eastern Amador the snowfall is very heavy—which is characteristic of the entire Sierra Nevada range. The summer season is always accompanied with cool nights; permitting of sound, refreshing slumber. Fogs are rare, cyclones are unknown; thunderstorms are infrequent.

Gold Mining.—The county, although rich in other sources of wealth, comparatively untouched, is noted principally for her quartz mines. The deepest gold mines in America are located here. The Kennedy mine is now taking gold in liberal quantities from quartz extracted from a depth of over 3000 feet below the surface, with every indication that the pay-ore extends to a much greater depth. Since the discovery of gold, the county has contributed fully \$100,000,000 to the world's supply of the precious metal. The mines are still yielding at the rate of about two million dollars annually. Nearly all of this wealth is produced by eight or ten mines operating on what is called the "mother lode," stretching clear across the county in a north-easterly direction a distance of twenty miles. The mines aggregate between 400 and 500 stamps, and furnish employment for over 1000 miners. This industry is still in its infancy. The unexplored territory, even along the main gold belt, is far in excess of the ground that has actually been worked or prospected. The county offers today one of the most inviting fields to be found anywhere in the world for the investment of capital in the fascinating business of gold mining, not alone along the mother lode, but also in the almost untouched mineralized country of the east belt, some ten or twelve miles from the main lode.

Besides gold, we have copper, deposits of pottery, coal, marble, slate, limestone, granite, and soapstone or talc—all undeveloped.

Agricultural Capabilities.—The agricultural possibilities equal, if not exceed, the mineral riches. The valley lands will produce anything that can be grown in the most favored sections. In the foothill lands all kinds of deciduous fruits thrive; also all kinds of vegetable are raised where irrigation is practicable along the numerous water courses. Further up in the mountains, at an altitude of 2000 to 2500 feet, the soil is admirably adapted for apples and potatoes. A ready market for many times the quantity now raised of these commodities can be found in the various mining towns.

Grape culture and winemaking are becoming important industries, both the grapes and wine commanding a better price than the product of the lowland.

Land is cheap compared with other California lands. Improved farms may be secured for one-fourth the price current in some places. Unimproved lands can be had from \$5 to \$10 per acre. It does not require a fortune to buy a small ranch. There is room for a large addition to our agricultural population. Vast tracts now devoted to cattle ranges might be made the homes of hundreds of prosperous farmers.

Amador has a population of less than 12,000. Three-fourths of this is concentrated in a strip of three miles above and below the mineral belt.

Jackson, the county seat, has about 2500 inhabitants, and is an incorporated city of the sixth class. Other towns are Sutter Creek, Amador City, Drytown, Plymouth, Volcano, Pine Grove and Olema. Ione City is the metropolis of the valley section, a thriving town of 1000 inhabitants.

The community is law abiding. Educational facilities are excellent. A schoolhouse is within easy reach of nearly every family. There is one high school, located at Ione.

The assessment roll for 1907 is \$5,800,793, and the tax rate for both state and county purposes \$2 on the \$100.

The Southern Pacific has a branch railroad running to Ione. From this point the Ione and Eastern railroad extends 14 miles further to the mining section.

The various religious denominations and fraternal organizations are well represented.

The power plant of the Standard Electric Co—one of the largest in the world—is located four miles from Jackson.

In the water of the River Thames,

## Alaska Yukon Pacific Exposition.

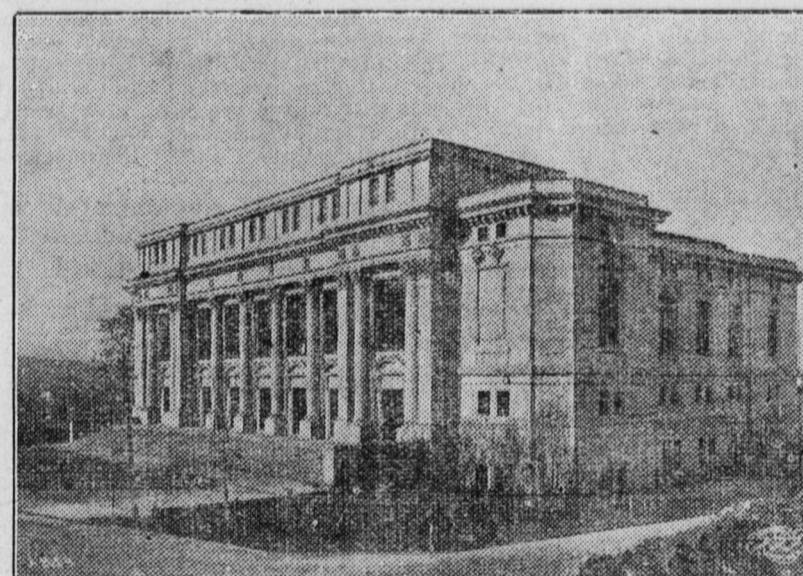


THE HAWAIIAN BUILDING, A.Y.P. EXPOSITION, SEATTLE.

The building erected at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition for the exclusive use of the Hawaiian Islands, occupies a prominent position on the Court of Honor next to the central government structure.

Hawaii has prepared a more extensive and comprehensive exhibit of its marvelous resources than for any other world's fair. It will show all of its native fruits and vegetables; will offer an aquarium of live fish, and in various other ways interest the fair visitors. Fruits will be served by native girls and native orchestras and singers will be always on hand. A tank in the center of the structure will show the islands as they rest in the Pacific Ocean.

Upwards of \$100,000 has been expended in assembling Hawaii's display.



THE AUDITORIUM AT A.Y.P. EXPOSITION, SEATTLE.

Probably the most striking structure on the grounds of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition is the Auditorium. It is built of reinforced concrete, steel and brick and is a part of the rich legacy which is to be handed down to the State University when the Fair is over.

The Auditorium stands upon an eminence overlooking the main entrance to the Exposition Grounds. It is now in use as a lecture room by the University Law School and for all assemblies of students. It has a seating capacity of close to 3000, which can be greatly increased.

### Facts Gleaned in Reading.

There may some day come a time—in a few billion years—when all the salt in the world will be in the ocean. Salt is one of the easiest dissolved minerals in the earth's crust, and every tiny stream of water that finally makes its way to the sea carries with it some minute particle of salt.

at London, lime is found to the amount of sixteen grams to a gallon. About 60,000 tons of lime is consumed yearly in London. This lime is unhealthy, though many minerals in waters are very beneficial. Rain water is not particularly healthy, because it contains no minerals whatever.

There is a sheet of water under the Sahara Desert. The natives know how to dig a crude sort of artesian well, though it takes them many years to dig it, and is accomplished only with prodigious labor and no danger to the workers.

The ancient Romans did not know how to make artificial ice, as we do, but in summer they used vast quantities of snow taken from the neighboring mountains. Mt. Etna, of Sicily, which has lately done so much damage, used to be famed for its snow, which was peddled about in Rome, just about as ice is to-day.

The Romans were very fond of pets. Besides cats, and dogs, and rabbits, they had sparrows and partridges, and other birds. But their queerest pets were locusts and cicadas. Imagine an American girl weeping over a dead locust. But that was what at least one Roman maiden did, and her lover wrote a poem about it.

In ancient Crete, the laws were set to music and sung very charmingly every evening after dinner. This was supposed to inculcate in every heart a deep love of the laws and lawful behavior. One can form their own opinion whether it did or did not. All those unhappy children, who have had to go to school within the last fifteen years, and each morning had to rise and salute the flag, know how much that practice did to make them hate the sight of that flag, and that only a real and deep love of country kept the hatred down.

Most men hate the sight of mayonnaise dressing, but it was invented by a man—and a famous man. Cardinal Richelieu invented this dressing, as well as other dishes not so well known. The men of a few centuries ago were, perhaps, more fond of their dinners than the men of to-day, and considered cooking an art. Lord Bacon used to like to cook, and Tallyrand spent an hour daily in the kitchen. It was Cardinal Wolsey who taught us to eat cream with strawberries, and the first list of recipes in England was compiled by an archbishop.

Italy invented forks, but they were looked down on with much disfavor in England long after they had been adopted on the continent—Atchieson Globes.



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## BIBLE STUDY CONTEST.

Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School Lesson by Rev. Dr. Linscott for the International Newspaper Bible Study Club.

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May 23rd, 1909.

The Council at Jerusalem. Acts xv:35.

Golden Text—We believe that through the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ we shall be saved, even as they were.

Verse 12—Recall some of the wonders done through Paul and Barnabas, among the Gentiles, and say what bearing they had upon the dispute concerning circumcision.

Verse 13-21—Who was James, who next addressed the council.

James, the brother of Jesus, was the president of this council; it is probable that his address was of the nature of the judgment of the council on this question.

Verse 22-29—Here seems to have been no formal motion passed by the council, but they appear to have reached an unanimous decision as outlined in the address of the president; say whether we are bound to take this decision as the voice of God.

In what particular is the great wisdom of the council shown in settling this dispute.

Were each of the commandments given in verse 29 intended to be of lasting obligation, or were some of them only temporary.

From whom are Christians to get guidance on all matters in this day.

Verse 30-35—There never will be a time when disputes may not occur, in the church and between individuals; who should they always be settled.

Did this trouble in the church help it or hurt it, and does God always overrule trouble, whoever may be the cause of it, for the good of his children.

Lesson for Sunday, May 30th, 1909. Believing and Doing. James ii:14-26.

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FROM OUR  
CORRESPONDENTS

## MARIELL.

Jack Martell has moved his family to Sutter Creek.

Mrs Herrald and little daughter are here from Fruivalve, visiting with Mrs John Gubbins.

Little Johnnie Gubbins has been very sick, but is improving under the care of Dr. Endicott.

Mr and Mrs Wilson have gone to Tuolumne county, for a four months' visit with their parents.

Arthur Robinson of Oleta, was a visitor at Martells last week.

Froelich and Kremmel have taken most of their cattle up to their lower mountain range.

Mrs Will Tyacke has been on the sick list, but is improving.

Mrs C. E. Froelich and sons have returned from a week's visit with relatives in Florin and Sacramento.

Tom Fullen of Angels, was a visitor at Martells last week.

Mrs N. Kevern, is visiting her daughters in Amador and Sutter Creek.

Lorentus Love is working at the depot in Frank Brown's place. Frank is still on the sick list.

Mrs D. Robinson and Miss Mary Smith visited Amador Sunday.

Everyone around here is getting ready for the Italian picnic. Dave Kerr will serve hot dinner and supper on that day.

Fred Seguin was seen taking in the baseball at Sutter Creek Sunday. He was riding his new thoroughbred colt, Bob.

It is reported that a man named Dave Ursher, who left here for Sacramento about three weeks ago, came up from that place in company with a man who has some kind of a divining machine for discovering buried money, and unearthed a small fortune on the old Hudson place about ten miles below Ione. It was known that there was money buried on the place, and small sums were dug up before.

The place belongs to Jim Amick of Ione, and he is now searching for the parties who have made away with the find, as he thinks it is only fair to get a share of it himself, as the money was buried by members of his wife's family, who lived on the place in early days, when cash was plentiful.

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## PLYMOUTH.

May 19—Robert Coster has gone to Sacramento for short visit.

Miss Annie Stewart of Sacramento, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Marie Weston. She intends returning to her home Tuesday.

George Penter of El Dorado, is the guest of his mother-in-law, Mrs Dugan.

Mr and Mrs Elvin Shearor, who has been living in Jackson for a short time, have moved to Oleta, where he intends driving team for Irve Oikstrom, for the summer.

Mrs Thressa Patton is walking on crutches, she has a bad attack of rheumatism.

Arthur Dach has quite recovered from his late illness, and intends leaving for a short visit.

Mr Reese, our school teacher, is keeping books for Rosenwald & Kahn, since the illness of their bookkeeper, Arthur Dach.

The 1. O. O. F. grand ball was a grand success, nearly every town in the county being represented. About seventy-eight tickets were sold, clearing about \$50, which will be used for the completion of the banquet hall.

Miss Kate Bunker and Mrs John Bunker are guests of her mother, Mrs Freeman.

Miss Marie Weston, and her cousin went to Oleta to-day, to visit their aunt, Mrs Claud Wilson.

Miss Annie Burke of Jackson, is the guest of Miss Mae Easton.

Ray Bell of Folsom, was in Plymouth Saturday.

Mrs Alice Cooper, delegate for the Bobekahs, returned last evening in the Carbondale stage.

Mrs Ola Walton has returned to her home, after spending a few days with her mother. Wild Rose.

## Billiousness and Constipation

For years I was troubled with biliousness and constipation, which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed me. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsi preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been today had I not tried Chamberlain's stomach and liver tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once, strengthen the digestive functions, purify the stomach, liver and blood, helping the system to do its work naturally.—Mrs Rosa Potts, Birmingham, Ala. These tablets are for sale by Jackson Drug Store, Spagoli, prop.

A daily paper—Bulletin—and Amador Ledger for \$3 in advance.

## AUKUM.

May 15—Henry Schroeder, the well known merchant of Oleta, died at his residence in that place on Friday morning last. He was born in Hanover, Germany, February 18, 1837. He came to America in the year 1855, coming to Cincinnati, where he worked in a livery stable, getting \$10 per month for his services. He remained there until 1857, when he came to San Francisco by way of water. He came from there to Sacramento, staying a short period of time, when he sought the gold fields going to Red Bluff, where he engaged in mining. From there he came to Marysville and stayed a short period, afterwards going to Greenwood, where he mined for a while. He went to Sutter Gulch in El Dorado county, and mined with a man of his own nativity, by the name of William Lang. He afterwards mined in Clabboard Gulch, and also at Spanish Creek. Finding by this time that mining had not opened its coffers to him affluently he quit the business and bought a hotel in the town of Fairplay. In 1863 he married at Placerville, Mary Brown of Frankfort, Germany. He ran the hotel at Fairplay and made money in the business. He finally sold his business there to George McGee, and moved to Fiddletown, now known as Oleta, and established a brewery in that place, which he carried on successfully for several years. Finally tiring of the business he shut it down and bought the old land mark store that was established by John McCall and John Sloat. The store afterwards passed into the hands of James Head and James T. Burt.

After the death of Mr Head the store passed into the hands of our present coroner, Ed. Potter. Mr Potter sold the store to a mining man, by the name of Campbell, who sold it to Mr Schroeder. Mr Schroeder ran it until a short period before his death, when he sold to his son Fred, and an Austrian whose name I did not learn.

Mr Schroeder was one of the old landmarks of pioneer days of old Fiddletown. He was an Odd Fellow, and a member of Telegraph Lodge No. 79 of Oleta. He was the father of eight children, Henry, the oldest child, died in 1878. Mrs Hoesch of Gilroy; George, William, Frederick and Katie of Oleta; Grant N., of Lodi; and Annie L., of Rocklin. He also has five grand children surviving him. With the passing of Mr Schroeder adds one less of the sturdy pioneers, who like the Indian are fast passing into the shadowy realms of the past.

Where leaves have fallen away from the tree  
into the shadow mystery,  
Where no one goes in mortal flesh  
into the shade of intricate mesh,  
Where God, the Supreme, sits on his  
throne,

To receive the spirit that's left the  
bone,  
And imbued its way to the spirit  
land,  
Enshrinéd by all that is noble and  
grand.

Giddy Dick.

## DEFENDER.

May 18—Jessie Werly left Friday for Northfork, Madera county.

Mrs W. H. Nichols, is visiting friends and relatives near New York Ranch.

W. J. Davis moved to the ditch Friday, to begin his new position as ditch-tender on the 24th.

Mrs E. J. Nichols was visiting her daughter, Mrs H. H. Harker, last Thursday.

Saturday night there was a heavy frost here, and it killed some of the vegetable plants.

A base ball game was played Sunday, the Defender and Volcano team played against Sutter Creek. The score was 7 to 4 in favor of Defender and Volcano team.

Mrs W. J. Davis is visiting at the Hit or Miss station.

Elmer Murphy is moving from Defender to Pine Grove, and his sister, Mrs M. Barnhart, is going to move from the ditch to Defender.

Blue Bell.

## IONE.

May 20.—F. Martin returned from the city Sunday, where he had been as a delegate to the grand lodge.

After several months rest in this vicinity, Miss Alice Bonham returned to Stockton Monday, where she has employment.

The dance given in the pavilion Saturday night by Hunt's orchestra from Jackson, was a great success, and no one regretted going.

T. H. Gartlin has had his house painted, which greatly adds to its appearance.

At last tone has electric lights, and it certainly seems good to see the town thus lighted.

Miss Grace Tonzi is on the sick list this week, being confined at home from an attack of erysipelas.

Mr Driscoll, the post office inspector, paid an official visit to Ione and other outlying postoffices this week.

Mrs Leary of Sacramento, is spending a couple of weeks visiting old

friends in this vicinity.

Miss Elsie Martin, who has been assisting at the I. and E. depot during her father's absence, returned to Martells Thursday.

Misses Winifred and Mildred Isaacs, who have been attending the University, returned home last Saturday to spend their vacation. Ioneite.

## The Jackson Plymouth Mail Route

A postal route agent from San Francisco was here last week, for the express purpose of looking over the mail route from Jackson to Plymouth as now conducted, with a view of remedying as far as possible the glaring defects of the existing system.

It is notorious that a letter addressed to Plymouth and mailed to Jackson early in the morning does not reach its destination until late in the evening, and travels 75 miles, whereas Plymouth is only 12 miles by direct route.

Again a letter from Drytown to Amador City—only four miles apart travels 75 miles to get there, consuming 12 hours in the trip, when one hour by direct route would easily accomplish it. Jackson papers directed to Plymouth, and placed in the post office here Friday do not

reach the northern town until dusk on Saturday. The absurdities of the present mail routes in this county are self evident. It is surprising that the government has not taken action long ago to bring about a more equitable arrangement.

The special agent went over the route with John Steiner of the Plymouth stage line, and we look to see a change for the better ere long. We would suggest that the people of the north end of the county get up a petition to congressmen Englebright, pointing out the shortcomings of the existing mail facilities, and requesting him to take steps to remedy the same. There is no doubt this course would lead to a prompt revision of the mail contracts.

## SUTTER CREEK.

May 20.—Mrs D. Horrigan of Gaston, Washington, arrived here Monday evening to visit her sister, Mrs John W. Bawden, and family.

Mrs R. S. Bennetts of Amador City, was visiting her friend, Miss Ekstrand of San Jose Tuesday, who has been the guest of the Rev. Mr and Mrs Pickard for an extended time. Miss Ekstrand left Wednesday morning, returning to her home.

Miss Mabel Liddicoat is visiting her sister, Miss Florence, and other relatives in Sacramento.

George Stribley of Berkeley, a student of the University of California, is spending his vacation with his uncle, John Stribley, and family.

Mrs John B. LeDoux left last week for Sacramento, to join her husband, who has employment there.

Mrs Jane Quirolo arrived here Saturday evening from San Francisco, to visit her son, Vic, and family, and other relatives here; also her son John Quirolo, and family in Jackson.

Mr and Mrs John Hillhouse of Sacramento, are the guests of Mr and Mrs Wm. McGee. Mr Hillhouse is renewing old acquaintances, being former resident many years ago.

Mrs Chas. Bacon and daughter left here Tuesday morning enroute to Goldfield, Nevada, where her husband has employment.

John Hocking has returned from Campo Seco, and is visiting his mother, Mrs E. Bales, and other relatives.

Mrs H. Kroekel and two children of Oakland, John Santos Jr. and wife, George P. Santos and wife, and Miss Gertrude Santos of Stockton, last Thursday.

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returned to their homes Monday morning. They came up to attend the funeral of their uncle, J. Indiekofer. Mrs John Santos will remain with her sister, Mrs Indiekofer, for a few weeks.

Mrs Mary Prosser and little granddaughter of Oakland, arrived here Wednesday, to visit her sister, Mrs Edward Jones.

Mr F. Setzer returned to her home in Lodi Wednesday, after a pleasant visit with her daughter, Mrs F. Shealer.

## MARRIED.

O'NEIL-HINNEMAN—In Jackson, May 16, 1909, by Alfred Goldner J. P., Wm. H. O'Neil to Jeanette J. Hinneman, both of Jackson.

TAYLOR-FRENCH—In Jackson, May 18, 1909, by Alfred Goldner, J. P. Ezra A. Taylor of Plymouth, to Miss Clara M. French of Oleta.

## DIED

SCHROEDER—In Oleta, May 15, 1909, Henry Schroeder, a native of Germany, aged 72 years.

ORK—Near Forest Home, May 13, 1909, Alex Orr, aged 69 years.

COLBURN-ADAMS—In New Monterey, May 16, 1909, by Rev. W. J. Clifford, Charles Colburn of New Monterey, to Miss Mildred Adams, of Stockton.

## Dated, April 22, 1909.

W. F. DETERT, Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Bell Upton, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Bell Upton, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at the law office of Wm. J. McGee, Court street, Jackson, Amador county, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said Amador county.

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JACKSON, CAL.....MAY 21, 1909

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This table gives the highest and lowest temperature in Jackson for each day, together with the rainfall, as recorded by self-registering instruments kept at the Ledger office.

Date.	Temp	Rain	Date.	Temp	Rain
L. H.	.....	.....	L. H.	.....	.....
May 1, 1909	43 86	.....	17	35 78	.....
2.	43 88	.....	18	36 76	.....
3.	57 87	.....	19	39 77	.....
4.	48 87	.....	20	39 74	.....
5.	44 86	.....	21	38 65	.....
6.	44 86	.....	22	.....	.....
7.	43 85	.....	23	.....	.....
8.	43 85	.....	24	.....	.....
9.	45 89	.....	25	.....	.....
10.	35 75	.....	26	.....	.....
11.	35 75	.....	27	.....	.....
12.	40 76	.....	28	.....	.....
13.	36 79	.....	29	.....	.....
14.	40 80	.....	30	.....	.....
15.	40 83	.....	31	.....	.....
16.	63 78	.....			.....

Total rainfall for season to date .34.27 inches  
To corresponding period last season 44.39

### LOCAL NEWS

J. F. Wilson. Dentist. Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Phone—Office, black 444; residence, Black 394; Jackson.

Ernest Lemire has resigned his position as clerk at the Globe hotel, having accepted a place at the Amador Central depot at Martelets. His place at the Globe has been filled by J. F. Mello.

J. R. Byrd of Volcano, left yesterday morning for Stockton for medical treatment. He has suffered for a long time from cancer below the right eye. He has undergone treatment at the hands of several doctors, and submitted to surgical operations, but the disease persists. He will consult experts in Stockton, and perhaps go on to San Francisco to place him under the care of some expert in that city.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday to Ezra A. Taylor, age 20, of Plymouth, to Clara M. French, 17, Oleta, the consent in writing of the father in each instance being given.

For Sale.—218 acres of good agricultural and grazing land, at Forest Home. Thirty acres timber land, with at least 1000 cords live black oak. For full particulars apply on premises, or to John Oulds, Jackson, Cal.

Wanted—A solicitor to secure orders for the tailoring business. Good salary to the right man, and steady employment. Apply to Wm. Ross, the Tailor, Jackson.

Wm. Schroeder has a new delivery wagon, manufactured by Geo. Lucox. It is a very convenient vehicle for the business.

Five or six men formerly employed at the Argonaut, went to work at the copper mine near Ione on Wednesday, presumably on the same terms as are offered by the mines around Jackson—eight hours actual work.

Johnny Chinn, who has recovered from a serious attack of pneumonia, is able to return to his work at Piccardo's harness shop.

Owing to the strike the business houses— butchers, grocery houses, and boarding house keepers, have been compelled for their own protection to adopt a cash basis. With the underground workers unemployed, business men are compelled to cut out credit as much as possible. In an emergency of this character, the commercial interests should get together, and adopt a common policy. In union, there is strength. And united action is just as salutary for tradesmen as for those engaged in manual labor.

Rent will be charged on idle meters, and after 60 days they will be removed without notice.

B. E. Letang.

W. J. Davis of Pine Grove, who lost one eye and was injured in the other, by blast while employed on the Amador canal near West Point, left for San Francisco Wednesday morning for treatment for his sight.

### DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

The following instruments have been filed for record in the recorder's office since the last issue of this paper. We publish the list of documents recorded, and must decline to accede to any request to suppress any document from these columns. Don't ask us to do so.

Deeds.—Gustav Baumann et ux, et al to J. J. McSorley, Original Amador quartz mine, Amador City, \$35,000.

Charles Hagberg to John N. Linstead and undivided one-half interest in the Silver Pick claim near De fende, \$10.

John J. McSorley to Original Amador Mines Co., Original Amador quartz mine, Amador City, \$35,000.

Ernest Pickering to George Evans, 40 acres in 15-7-11, \$10.

Jasper H. Phillips et ux to Thomas P. Bawden, 120 acres in 10-7-10, and right of way, \$10.

Wm. K. McKenzie, et ux to Jasper H. Phillips 120 acres in 10-7-10 and right of way, \$10.

James H. Marks et ux to Thomas P. Bawden, Plymouth gold quartz mine, near Plymouth, \$500.

Henry Schroeder to Mrs Mary A. Schroeder, 112½ acres in 36-8-10 and lot 4 block 5, Oleta, \$1.

Albert G. Voit et ux to A. V. Johnson et ux, 40 acres in 18-7-10, no consideration.

Mortgage—Maria Garabaldi to Josephine Rottaglia, lot 4 block 4, Sutter Creek, \$200 for four years with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum.

Lease—Mrs E. S. Gambert et al leases to A. C. Matulich a one-half interest in 680 acres known as the Central House ranch near Drytown, for 3 years at an annual rental of \$340.

Proof of Labor—J. B. Grillo et al on placer claim in 22-7-12.

Trust Deed—George Bloom et ux to Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 80 acres in 22-7-11 and lands elsewhere, \$500 payable in eight months with interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum.

Cancellation of Mortgage—Oneto to Badaraco.

Location—W. B. French locates Coyote placer, Oleta district.

Certificate of Redemption—J. B. Weston on 160 acres in 30-8-12, 100 acres in 3-8-11 and 160 acres in 31-8-12 and 30-8-12 taxes of 1888, 1895 and 1902, \$62.81.

### The Free License Business.

At last meeting of the supervisors John Ratto, the proprietor of the moving picture show in Jackson, was awarded a free license in the same business for all points in the county outside of Jackson. This action comes on the top of a free license for the three months preceding. Now 10 per week, this free license is tantamount to a gift to the favored individual of \$240. What will the taxpayers of Amador county think of this act of generosity—or more properly speaking, favoritism on the part of those intrusted with the management of the county's finances. The burden thus taken from the shoulders of the individual, means the imposition of an additional corresponding burden upon the general taxpayers. It must be remembered that this free license was granted without any formal request in writing from the party benefitted.

The Rev. E. U. Brun, rector of the Episcopal church in Jackson for the past year, left with his family, on Saturday last for Minnesota, where he has accepted a call from a church. The church here is left without a resident pastor, but arrangements will be made to hold services at stated intervals, until a regular pastor can be secured.

Mrs Rose Stasal left Sunday morning for San Francisco, to stay indefinitely. She expects to visit Seattle and the Alaska Yukon exposition in the near future.

Mrs Abramofsky left Sunday morning for San Francisco, on a visit to relatives.

C. B. Arditto, senior past president of Amador Aerie No. 1776, Fraternal Order of Eagles, left Saturday to attend the state convention of that order, which met at Santa Cruz for the first four days of this week. He is entitled to a seat in the convention by virtue of his official position.

For Sale.—Horse, buggy and harness. Horse is good either single or double. Buggy and harness in good condition. Will be sold cheap. For particulars apply to

A. H. Steffen, May 21-1m, Amador City, Cal.

The ladies' exchange will be at Gluckfield's new store on Main street on Saturday afternoon, and will be in charge of Mrs Brown and Miss Boarman. Call on them for something good to eat. They will have for sale a good assortment of cakes, etc.

Ledger and San Francisco daily Bulletin, only \$3 per year, in advance.

Herbert Stewart, who has been employed at the mines, left for England yesterday morning.

The nine or ten aliens who departed for the old countries this week, took about \$20,000 with them according to report. This was principally the savings from the wages earned in the mines. It will make them well-to-do people in their native countries.

Miss Mamie Delahide left Sunday for a trip to Yosemite Valley, in company with a friend from Oakland.

By a notice in another column a citizens' meeting is called for next Monday afternoon, to form an organization in the nature of a development and protection association for Jackson.

A healthy man is a king in his own right; an unhealthy man is an unhappy slave. Burdock Blood Bitters builds up sound health—keeps you well.

**CAUTION.**  
Bears the  
Signature  
of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

### BASEBALL.

Jackson Juveniles Defeat the First Nine.

A surprise was given to sports last Sunday afternoon on the Jackson diamond. The regular club arranged a match with the second nine, composed mainly of children attending school. The juveniles, however, have been practicing very faithfully, and proved a genuine eye-opener to the older players. It was closely contested from start to finish. Each side realized at the outset that it was no walkover. At the end of the ninth innings the score stood 4 to 4. So it was decided to play another innings, and this sealed a victory for the youngsters, the score being 5 to 4.

There was great jubilation over the result. Indeed, throughout the game the small nine was cheered to the echo whenever an especially good play was scored. The line up was as follows:

2d Jackson	1st Jackson
L. Love	c f
E. Boro	I f
H. Love	s s
Holtz	3 b
Carrara	2 b
Tam	r f
Hicks	o
Boro	p
Delahide	1 b
	Arditto

Runs by Innings.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2d Nine	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
1st Nine	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	—4

### New Ice Plant Started.

Few persons are aware of the extent to which John Strohm has lately enlarged his ice making plant, and the big outlay involved therein. For a couple of months men have been working to install the large electric motor and the compressor for the ice making business. It is now nearing completion. The 75 horse power dynamo was started for the first time Sunday and worked nicely. The whole plant has been tested, and found to be all right.

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### The Lime Deposits.

A gentleman named Ross made a trip to this county from Stockton the latter part of last week. He came for the express purpose of inspecting the lime deposits in the vicinity of Mount Echo. These deposits are commanding much attention. While virtually at a standstill, they will unquestionably be the scene of much activity in the near future. We are informed that the owners of the Bonham quarry, which is under an option of sale to the Spreckels company owning the sugar refinery at Salinas in Monterey county, have asked for a bid on 8000 tons of lime stone rock, delivered at Ione. This is the biggest order, or rather proposal, that has been received. It demonstrates that those interested are keenly alive to the possibilities of the lime resources of this county.

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Resolved, That it is but a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say that in regretting her removal from our midst we mourn for one who was in every way worthy of our respect and regard, and that while we bow with bumble submission to the will of the Most High, we do not the less mourn for our sister who has been taken from us.

Resolved, That this heartfelt testimonial of our sympathy be spread upon the records of our Chapter, and a copy thereof be transmitted to the family of our deceased sister, and to each of the newspapers of Jackson.

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Makes delicious hot biscuit, griddle cakes, rolls and muffins.  
The only Baking Powder  
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### SUPERIOR COURT PROCEEDINGS

#### BON F. V. WOOD, JUDGE

Estate of Geo. H. Rinehart. Final account and petition for distribution filed, May 25 set for hearing.

#### New Cases

E. V. Longo vs. B. Privitali.—The complaint sets forth that on the 11th day of May, 1901, a judgment was entered in the superior court of Amador in favor of plaintiff and against defendant for the sum of \$319.63. The judgment has remained wholly unsatisfied, save the sum of \$100 paid thereon. Suit is brought to obtain judgment for the balance with interest at 7 per cent, the total amount claimed being \$710.10.

Estate of Orville C. Randolph.—Mary M. Lithgow petitions for letters of administration; May 25 set for hearing.

#### Italian Picnic.

Posters are out for the Italian picnic in celebration of the independence of Italy, on Fulien's grove on Sunday, the 6th of June. The officers selected are G. Branchetti, president, W. Tam, vice president, A. Ambiglio, grand marshal; aid, B. Foletti; orators, F. N. Belgrano of San Francisco in Italian, and Judge Wood in English. Among the amusements may be mentioned a baseball game for \$75, between Jackson and Sutter Creek; a bocha game, with \$20 as first prize and \$10 second prize. Everything is being done to make this the most attractive affair of this kind in many years.

## From Our Exchanges.

The San Joaquin and Amador people are talking bridge across the Mokelumne river at Child's crossing again. We understand Mr Guail will survey the line out this week.—Prospect.

It is the intention of the supervisors of Calaveras, Amador and Tuolumne counties to meet once a year in joint session in Jackson, San Andreas and Sonora to discuss and take action on matters concerning the three counties.—Citizen.

Mrs James Coffman and daughters, Winnie and Mabel, left West Point for Amador City Sunday, where Mr Coffman is engaged in the hotel business.—Citizen.

Jack Spink of West Point, one of our popular young men left Sunday for Amador City, where he will be employed in the capacity of clerk at the popular Amador City hotel.—Citizen.

The largest sale of property ever held in the county took place last Monday when commissioners Vanderlyn Stow and George H. Whipple sold the entire holdings of the Stanislaus Electric Power Company and tributary concerns for \$2,200,000.

The highest bidder was John C. Rice, of Boston, who represents the corporation that is to take over the properties, but whether the United Railroads is the real purchaser or not cannot be stated with certainty. The holdings were first put in parcels and then collectively. The Tuolumne Water Power Company individually brought forth a bid of \$400,000. The said was the result of a judgment and decree of foreclosure following a suit by the Knickerbocker Trust Company of New York, against the Stanislaus Electric Power, Tuolumne Water Power, Stanislaus Railway and Union Construction companies. It as attended by a number of men prominent in financial circles and was held in front of the court house.—Sonora Democrat.

The Penn Chemical copper mine has gone on a strike since the new eight hour law has gone into effect. The men that worked under ground have gone out—about 100—because they want the company to let the men go to work on the company's time and come out on their own time. The teams that have been hauling oil to the mine have all been laid off, but a few teams of Mr Pattee. Thursday morning was the last meal that was served to strikers. Many have taken the train at the Springs for other parts of the country. It is reported that it has been ordered by the head of the company to shut down until copper, which has been so low for over a year, comes up in price.—Prospect.

### The Eight Hour Law in Force.

On last Sunday morning the new eight hour law mining was put in operation at the several mines and mills in and around town and everything is working just as smoothly as under the old schedule. The men come up and go down on their own time thus giving eight hours' work at whatever point they are employed. The mill men are the ones most benighted by the change, as under this order they gain four hours with no reduction in pay, as previously they worked twelve hours.

While the men are all working here, there is a question as to the constitutionality of the eight hour law and its exact meaning. In order to have these points fully determined the mine owners' association have decided to have an arrest made for a violation of the law and the case will be taken directly from the justice court to the supreme court on a writ of habeas corpus, so in this way every point of the law may receive judicial interpretation.—Angels Record.

### KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL.

Health is Worth Saving, and Some Jackson People Know How to Save It.

Many Jackson people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Sick kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health, but there is no need to suffer nor to remain in danger when all diseases and aches and pains due to weak kidneys can be quickly and permanently cured by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. The following statement leaves no ground for doubt.

J. W. Callahan, 626 L. St., Sacramento, Cal., says: "My back was so weak that I was scarcely able to work. I could not stoop without experiencing sharp pains through my loins and I was so lame in the morning on arising that I found it very difficult to put on my clothing. The kidney secretions were frequent in passage as to force me to arise several times during the night. Doan's Kidney Pills entirely disposed of my trouble and for that reason have my hearty endorsement."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

## CALIFORNIA STATE UNION HELD SESSION

The California State Union of the Western Federation of Miners met in Angels Miners' Union hall during the past week, this being the first annual convention. One delegate from each local union in the state was present; also the president, vice-president, secretary-treasurer and six members of the executive board.

It was thought the efforts of the state union, assisted by the western federation of miners and other bodies of organized labor, that the eight hour mining bill was introduced at the last session of the legislature and signed by the governor.

One of the questions coming before this convention was the eight hour bill and just what it meant. It was brought out during the discussion that if the men were to accept the interpretation of the mine operators, many of the employees would have to work eight and one-half and nine hours underground, not including the time for lunch.

In regard to the eight hour law the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved: That the hours of work for the men employed in underground mines, smelters and reduction works start when the whistle blows or the bell rings and work eight hours, excluding intermission of time for lunch or meals. Time begins when the men start underground and ceases when they leave their place of work.

The policy of the union is that in cases of grievances it would be best for a committee to meet with the operators and have a talk, so that all petty troubles would be settled and that the operators should be willing to meet with such committee.—Angles Record.

For a burn or scald apply Chamberlain's Salve. It will allay the pain almost instantly and quickly heal the injured parts. For sale by Jackson Drug Store, Spagnoli, prop.

### AT THE END OF THE DAY.

How is it with you at the end of the day?

Is pride in your heart and is peace in your breast?

Can you sit in the darkness and honestly say

That in all of your acts you have tried for the best—

That if profits have come to you, little or great,

No wronged one may think of you, treasuring hate.

Can you turn at the end of the day and be glad?

That no one is poorer for aught you have done—

That no one has reason to curse or be sad

Because of a triumph that you may have won?

Can you go to your bed with the peace in your heart?

That is his who has acted a praiseworthy part?

Can you gaze at the stars when the silence is deep?

And say, as if God was consenting to hear,

That no one to-night will be robbed of sweet sleep?

Because you have won a success which was dear?

Have you crushed no fair hope, nor spread grief on the way?

How is it with you at the end of the day?

—S E Kiser, Chicago Record-Herald.

### "The Blood is The Life."

Science has never gone beyond the above simple statement of scripture. But it has illuminated that statement and given it a meaning ever broadening with the increasing breadth of knowledge. When the blood is "bad" or impure it is not alone the body which suffers through disease. The brain is also clouded, the mind and judgement are affected, and many an evil deed or impure thought may be directly traced to the impurity of the blood. Foul, impure blood can be made pure by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It purifies and purifies the blood thereby curing, pimples, blotches, eruptions and other cutaneous affections, as eczema, tetter, or salt-rheum, hives and other manifestations of impure blood.

In the cure of serofulous swellings, enlarged glands, open eating ulcers, or old sores, the "Golden Medical Discovery" has performed the most marvelous cures. In cases of old sores, or open eating ulcers, it is well to apply to the sores Dr. Pierce's All-Healing Salve, which possesses wonderful healing potency when used as an application to the sores in conjunction with the use of "Golden Medical Discovery" as a blood cleansing constitutional treatment. If your druggist don't happen to have the "All-Healing Salve" in stock, you can easily procure it by inclosing fifty-four cents in postage stamps to Dr. R. V. Pierce, 663 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y., and it will come to you by return post. Most druggists keep it as well as the "Golden Medical Discovery."

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## THE ESTRAY LAW AS NOW IN FORCE

### PUBLICATION IN NEWSPAPERS AND RECORDING ESSENTIAL FEATURES.

The following is the full text of the estray law as amended by the last legislature and as it now stands on the statute books. It will be noticed that publication in a newspaper is now an essential feature of the proceeding as well as the recording with the county recorder. The law reads as follows:

Section 1. Section 2 of the act entitled, "An act relating to estrays, providing for taking them up and giving a lien on them for all damages, costs and expenses incurred by reason of taking them up, and repealing all other acts, or parts of acts now in force relating to estrays, approved March 23, 1901," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 2. The word "stray" as used in this act is intended to include all domestic animals that have strayed upon, or been found upon lands other than those of their owner, or the public domain, or lands whose owner, (or to which the person in possession thereof) has consented, may be passed over, or allowed to be entered on, by such animal. Any person taking up an estray animal or animals shall confine the same in a secure place and within one week thereafter shall publish in some newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in the county in which such stray is found, and also file with the county recorder of said county a notice containing a description of the animal or animals taken up, with the marks and brands if they have any, together with the probable value of each animal, and a statement of the place where the taker-up found, and where he has confined the same. The county recorder shall receive for filing said notice, the sum of fifty cents. The said notice shall be so published for two weeks. If there be no newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the county wherein such stray animal is found, then such publication shall be made in some newspaper of general circulation printed and published in an adjoining county within this state; provided, however, that the cost of publication does not exceed three dollars. If, however, the animal has the owner's brand or mark upon it, and such brand or mark has been recorded according to law, or if the taker-up knows the owner of said animal, or the person having charge thereof, then, within five days after said animal is taken up he shall notify the owner of said animal, or other person having charge thereof, which notice shall contain the same information as the notice to be published and recorded, as here in above provided. This notice shall be in lieu of publishing and recording such notice, and for which notice he shall be entitled to the sum of fifty cents.

Sec. 2. Section 3 of an act entitled, "An act relating to estrays, providing for taking them up and giving a lien on them for all damages, costs and expenses incurred by reason of taking them up, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts, now in force relating to estrays, approved March 23, 1901," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 3. At any time within thirty days from the date of the filing of the notice specified in section 2 of this act, any person claiming such stray animal or animals shall appear and demand from the taker-up the possession thereof, and shall at the same time pay to the taker-up all damages, expenses and costs incurred by reason of taking up said animal or animals, and upon receiving such damages, expenses and costs, the taker-up shall immediately deliver to the party claiming such animal or animals the possession thereof; such damages, expenses and costs shall be estimated as follows, to wit:

1. The total amount paid by the taker-up the county recorder, and the reasonable cost of publishing said notice.

2. The sum of thirty cents per day for the keeping and care of each horse, mule, jenny, ass, cow, bull or steer or calf.

3. The sum of ten cents per day for keeping and care of each sheep, goat, hog or other animal not herein before specified, provided that the taker-up of said animal or animals must properly feed and water the same while under his care, and if he fails to do shall forfeit all right of lien thereon.

Sec. 3 This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

To remove old wall paper; wet the paper all over two or three times a day with a damp cloth, when it will easily peel off.

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## TAFT RESTORING LAND FOR ENTRY

It may be stated on high authority that the president is convinced, as a lawyer, that the wholesale withdrawals of land in the far west, made by order of president Roosevelt, with a view to furthering his conservation policy, were made without warrant of law, and consequently that the recent restorations of parts of that land to public entry by secretary Ballinger has the president's approval.

Mr Taft has gone over the legal phases of the matter with great care, and satisfied himself that the president, while clothed with authority to withdraw public lands from entry, has not as free a hand in that matter as Mr Roosevelt took.

There is also authority for saying that the president believes there has been much exaggeration of the danger that the water-power trust possesses such detailed information as to the location of water-power sites, in the mountain states as to enable it to gobble up the sites on the restored lands before the geological survey can have time to locate them for withdrawal, under a future act of congress.

The lands in question are already restored to entry, and some time must necessarily elapse before the geological survey, although its engineers are already in the field for that purpose, can make surveys of the water-power sites and do the other things that will be necessary before the government can interfere to save those sites for the public use.

The fear, in the minds of reclamation and geological survey officials, has been that the water-power trust does in fact possess just such information as the president is inclined to hold they do not possess. Which side is right only the future can determine.

Gifford Pinchot, chief of the forestry bureau, has had several conferences with the president about the Ballinger restorations. Mr Pinchot is said to entertain the liveliest fear that before the geological survey can finish its work the trust will have got hold of the best sites on the restored land. The president, however, feels certain that Mr Pinchot is unduly alarmed. As for himself, he feels that the geological survey engineers will be fully able to locate these sites, and that the government, this being done, will have ample time to set them apart for public use.

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First circuit.....Oliver W. Holmes  
Second circuit.....Rufus W. Peckham  
Third circuit.....Henry W. Brown  
Fourth circuit.....Melville W. Fuller  
Fifth circuit.....Edward W. White  
Sixth circuit.....John M. Harlan  
Seventh circuit.....William R. Day  
Eight circuit.....David J. Brewer  
Ninth circuit.....Joseph McKenna

#### NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

(Pacific States and Territories)

Circuit judge.....William W. Morrow  
Circuit judge.....Eskire M. Ross  
Circuit judge.....William B. Gilbert  
U. S. Commissioner for Amador county.....Richard Webb

#### LEGISLATIVE

##### SENATORS FROM CALIFORNIA

George C. Perkins and Frank P. Flint  
CONGRESSMEN FROM CALIFORNIA  
First district.....Wm. Englebright  
Second district.....Duncan E. McKinlay  
Third district.....Joseph K. Knowland  
Fourth district.....Julius Kahn  
Fifth district.....E. A. Hayes  
Sixth district.....James C. Needham  
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## SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY

Reported weekly for the Ledger.

Sowing Fertilizing Bacteria.—A Storage-Battery Lamp.—Churches and Lightning Rods.—A Useful New Alloy.—A Modern Ferry.—Occasional Color-Blindness.—Non-Cracking Glass.—Automatic Ticket-Printing.—The New Compass.—Cloth-Marked Lead Bullets.

A fertilizing earth filled with nitrifying bacteria has been cheaply prepared by the director of the Prague experiment station, Stoklasa, and four tons of this novel fertilizer applied to the acre have increased crops one-third. This material was suggested by the somewhat disappointing results of sowing bacteria cultures direct upon the land. Nitrogen is assimilated by plants only in the form of nitrates, and recent investigators have shown that the nitric acid is produced in organic matter in decay by the agency of certain bacteria. Stoklasa concluded that when laboratory cultures of the bacteria are scattered direct upon a field they become less prolific, while they are in too small number to accomplish all that has been expected. He therefore made a culture liquid of 2 parts of glucose, 1.5 part of carbonate of lime and 1.20 part of phosphate of potassium in 100 parts of water, and added a few drops of pure cultures of Radiobacter and Aztobacter, very active nitrifying bacteria. When the bacteria had filled the liquid, the whole was sprinkled over a heap of prepared earth, consisting of 2,500 parts of ordinary soil mixed with 50 of dephosphorized slag and moistened with 100 parts of molasses in 100 of water. This earth fertilizer was used after a few days, and the results proved that passing through the two media had quite acclimated the bacteria to the soil of the field.

A decorative table lamp for public dining rooms, free from the disadvantages of candles and having no troublesome wires, is simply an electric lamp carrying a storage battery. The whole can be set in a vase of cut flowers, and the light, gleaming through the flowers and water, is very soft and pleasing in effect.

A list of 241 church buildings in England that have been damaged by lightning in the last ten years has been collected by Alfred Hands. He estimates that 25 or 30 per cent of the churches of the country have lightning conductors, and that of the 24 buildings damaged each year not more than 3 have conductors that fail to protect.

Monel metal, of which about 300,000 square feet have been used on the roof of the Pennsylvania Railway station in New York, is attracting much attention on account of its remarkable qualities, as it is practically untarnishable, has a strength comparable to that of some grades of steel, and in rolled sheets is as malleable and flexible as copper. It is a silver-white alloy, containing essentially about 70 per cent of nickel and 30 of copper, although small quantities of iron, sulphur, carbon, silicon, etc., are usually present. It can be rolled hard or soft, has been made into castings up to three tons, and at present is cast in two grades, very similar to hard and medium cast-steel, with tensile strengths of about 38 and 31 tons, and reductions of area at fracture of 25 and 35 per cent. Its specific gravity when cast is 8.86; its melting point, 2430 deg. F. Its resistance to corrosion is a particularly striking property, and it is little affected even in the presence of strong sulphuric acid.

The electric ferryboat crossing the Rhine between Godesberg and Niederdollendorf, accommodates 645 passengers, besides vehicles, and is propelled by two screws, each coupled directly with a 30 horse-power series wound motor, making 300 revolutions per minute. The storage battery of 160 cells has a voltage of about 300 and a capacity of 335 amperes hours. The actual crossing time is about 4½ minutes, and after eight trips in each direction the battery is recharged at Godesberg. The same battery feeds three auxiliary motors on the boat, one used for pumping and the two others operating the landing bridges.

An occasional temporary red blindness is the singular defect in his own color sense reported by C. R. Gibson to the Royal Philosophical Society of Glasgow. At times he fails to perceive the red in an object, but at once perceives the true color when his attention is called to and concentrated upon it. His color vision otherwise is quite normal.

A quite unusual test has been made of glass chimneys from the glass at Baccarat, France. They were designed for safety in coal mines containing much fire-damp and

when ten of them were suddenly plunged into water at 559 deg. F. after being slowly heated to the boiling point of water, not one of them cracked.

The ticket printing machine adopted by the German Government is designed to simplify the work of railway offices, and makes unnecessary the usual large stock of many kinds of tickets at each station. The apparatus at Cologne—made for 1300 stations—is 3 feet long, 4 feet high, and 20 inches wide. It carries a printing plate of each kind of ticket required, and an alphabetical index-scale shows at a glance the names of stations to which tickets are issued. The only stock needed is a supply of pieces of cardboard of the right size. When a ticket is called for, a blank card is slid into place opposite the required station, a handle is depressed and the ticket drops out, printed with the names of the departure and destined stations, consecutive number, fare, route, class of carriage, and other facts. At the same operation a duplicate is printed on a continuous sheet, to serve as a record. Actual gain in time is claimed, a clerk having issued as many as 500 tickets in an hour, there is no delay from the giving out of the supply of certain tickets, and at the end of the day the continuous sheet gives an accurate record of the business done. With this system in use, there can be no ticket robberies, no issues of unaccounted for tickets.

The gyroscope compass, invented some years ago by Dr. Anschuetz Kaempfe of Kiel, seems to have proven a practical instrument it is based on the principle—already applied in the automatic steering of torpedoes—that a rapidly rotating body tends to keep in the same plane, and during a nine months' test during a cruise of the Deutschland, in different parts of the world, it kept the true direction, and on one occasion was left unattended and unchecked for a month. On being adopted in the German Navy, it is expected especially to prove much more reliable than the magnetic compass for submarines.

A new aid in some criminal cases may be the impression left on bullets by clothing, as V. Balthazar has assured the Paris Academy that these markings are not effaced on penetrating the flesh except as they come in contact with bone. Careful inspection of the bullet makes it possible to identify the character of the garment that has been passed through by the leaden missile.

##### Bad attack of Dysentery Cured

"An honored citizen of this town was suffering from a severe attack of dysentery. He told a friend if he could obtain a bottle of Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy, he felt confident of being cured, he having used this remedy in the west. He was told that he kept in stock and lost no time in obtaining it, and was promptly cured," says M. J. Leach, druggist, of Winooski, Vt. For sale by Jackson Drug Store, Spagnoli, prop.

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Acknowledgment blanks for notaries, specially printed for Amador county, may be had at the Ledger office. Price 50c per packet of 50.

Furnished Rooms to let: inquire at Ledger office.

Copies of the license ordinance of the City of Jackson in pamphlet form may be had at the Ledger office; price 15c. each.

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## Selections

### THE PRESIDENCY.

#### A Defect in the Law in the Matter of Succession.

The language of the constitution is generally well chosen, but in the matter of the presidential succession it is defective. Had it said the vice president shall succeed to the presidency in case of a vacancy in that office this would have included all sorts of vacancies and have left no room for question. As it enumerates a vacancy from one of four causes—"the death, resignation, inability or removal of the president"—it leaves a doubt whether a vacancy arising from another cause—viz. the death of the president elect—would entitle the vice president elect to succeed.

The death of both president and vice president elect would leave the succession still more doubtful. An argument can be made for a line of succession through the holdover members of the cabinet of the retiring president, but it is not absolutely conclusive. It probably would not satisfy everybody and thereby create a disputed title. It might even cause very serious trouble, and congress should take the necessary action to make the presidential succession absolutely clear and certain in every contingency. The late Senator Hovey labored for many years to get this matter set at rest. Senator Bacon has taken it up afresh, admonished of its necessity, possibly in the very wide discussion of this question since the election. It is a weak spot in our governmental organization which congress should strengthen and make secure without further delay.—Philadelphia Press.

#### An Obstinate Old Bachelor.

The Right Rev. Cosmo Gordon Lang, archbishop designate of York, was one of the late Queen Victoria's favorite preachers. On one occasion when Dr. Lang was visiting Osborne her majesty said to him: "I hear excellent reports of your work at Portsea, and I find you actually keep a staff of twelve curates. You should take to yourself a wife. I believe you would be able to do with two curates less." "Ah, no, madam," he replied. "That would scarcely do. If I have a curate who does not suit I can get rid of him, but I could not do the same with a wife." "True," replied the queen, "but take the advice of an old woman and marry." Dr. Lang, however, has not up to the present followed the kindly counsel.—London Tit-Bits.

#### Lord's Prayer on a Pin Head.

Mr. William L. Stuart, a young man engaged in business in New York city, has performed the seemingly impossible feat of engraving the entire Lord's Prayer on the head of an ordinary pin, to which he has added his name and the year, making altogether 276 letters and figures. Mr. Stuart did the work at odd times during his regular employment and with very ordinary tools, which seemingly are not adapted to such fine engraving. The pin was set in a block of wood, and a common engraver's tool was used. A simple microscope, costing only about 25 cents and known as a "Helen tester," furnished the necessary magnifying.—St. Nicholas.

#### Restrictions in New York Society.

The lines drawn by the different sets are more rigid in New York than ever before. There is a rush of new people to get into society, and old families who have stayed away for a decade or a generation are coming back and trying to assume their old places. Sometimes victories have to be accomplished with the aid of the nouveau riche, and the results are quite confusing and yet laughable. Localities do not count as much as they once did, and gradually New York is getting away from the Philadelphia idea of fencing in a small territory and condemning every one who lives outside of it.—Vogue.

#### A Monster Loaf.

Bakers in Germany are fond of making odd experiments, the following being reported from Duisburg, in Westphalia. At a children's party recently held in that town there was exhibited and afterward cut up and distributed among the youngsters present a bread twist which for size at least has surely rarely been equaled. Weighing no less than 180 pounds, it had a breadth of 1.70 meters and a length of 3.20 meters and was thus found sufficient to supply a satisfactory afternoon collation to as many as 500 boys and girls.—Bakers' Weekly.

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#### Royal and Presidential Wages.

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FRIDAY ..... MAY 21, 1909

## EMMA LEDOUX GETS NEW TRIAL

### For Murder of McVicar.

From S. F. Call.

Mrs Emma LeDoux, the "trunk murderer" of Stockton, may yet lose the gruesome and unsought distinction of being the first woman hanged by an order of court in this state. This unusual defendant, coquette as a girl and enchantress as a woman, was yesterday granted a new trial by the supreme court. Once again must she face the charge of having murdered her one time husband, Albert N. McVicar, in Stockton, March 24, 1906.

Associate Justice Henshaw wrote the decision granting her a new trial, Associate Justice Lorigan and Melvin concurring. Chief Justice Beatty wrote a concurring opinion.

The grounds on which the new trial is ordered are that Judge W. B. Nutter, the trial judge, did not allow the challenge to the panel of the jury because of the bias of the sheriff, that the court refused to allow instructions of the defense on the presumption of innocence where conflicting presumptions might be said to arise, and that physicians had been allowed to testify as experts without properly confining their testimony to hypothetical questions. In the appeal it was not contended that the evidence was insufficient to sustain the verdict and judgment, the complaint being entirely directed at the rulings of Judge Nutter. It is said that fully 1,200 objections were noted in the trial.

The decision sets forth that during the empaneling of the jury the court ordered a special venire of 75. The defense challenged the venire under section 1064 of the penal code account of the bias and prejudice of sheriff Sibley. The evidence showed that the sheriff had been gathering evidence and "had thus come to entertain an unqualified opinion that the defendant was guilty." So far as the challenge for bias is concerned, the sheriff in such a case is put by the law precisely in the position of a trial juror and a state of mind which would disqualify a juror equally disqualifies the sheriff.

In reference to certain love letters written by the defendant to her husband, Eugene LeDoux, who lived near the home of her mother, Mrs Mary Head, near Jackson, Amador county, it was held that while the possession of those letters was illegally secured, the redress was not in the exclusion of pertinent evidence obtained by the seizure. The letters were, therefore, held to have been properly admitted.

In the trial it developed that the defendant, when she was Emma Cole, aged 16, married Charles Barrett, with whom she lived four years. After divorcing him, she married William Williams, with whom she went to Arizona. After six years of married life he died, and three months later she married McVicar in Bisbee, Ariz., in 1902. They afterwards separated and she went to her mother's home near Jackson. In August, 1905, she went with Eugene LeDoux, who resided near her mother's place, to Woodland, Yolo county, where they were married by a justice of the peace.

The prosecution urged as a motive for the murder that she had killed McVicar because of her affection for LeDoux and her desire to avoid the exposure of her bigamous relations, it appearing that she had never been divorced from McVicar. The prosecution introduced the license and certificate of marriage from Bisbee over the objection of the defense. The opinion holds that in an effort to prove bigamy the license and the certificate would not have been admissible, but to prove motive for the murder they were.

The crime for which Mrs LeDoux was convicted was unusual in the annals of crime. Her remarkable composure from the time of the murder to the present has stamped her as a psychological phenomenon. This woman who, at the age of 32 years, still retained her charm of face and figure despite her varied life, which took her for a time to the lowest levels, smiled graciously in the courtroom a minute after the jury had pronounced the verdict that she must hang. During her three years in the San Joaquin county jail she has been its most cheerful prisoner. She has found again many of these sweet

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## Funeral of Mrs. Farley.

The funeral of Mrs Flora Farley, widow of former U. S. senator Jas. T. Farley, was held in Jackson Sunday afternoon. Mrs Farley died at Kingman, Arizona, on Wednesday of last week. The remains were received Saturday, and interment was on Sunday. Deceased's son Jas. T. Farley and daughter Miss Alice, accompanied the body to this city. Ser-

vices were conducted at the grave, the regular services having been held at Kingman. Mrs Farley is the last of the family. She was the daughter of the late J. B. Phelps and wife, for many years residents of this city, and both of whom died many years ago, and were buried in the Protestant cemetery. By their side the daughter now sleeps the long sleep of death.

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Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Sacramento, Cal.

April 12, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Willis E. Hoss of Defender, Calif., who, on Dec. 3, 1903, made H. E., No. 7614, for  $\frac{1}{2}$  of SW  $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  and Lot 3, Section 2, Township 7 N., Range 13 E., Mount Diablo Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five years proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before U. S. Commissioner for Amador county, Calif., at his office in Jackson, Calif., on the 22nd day of May 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses.

Arthur E. Lessley, Walter R. Webster, James Shafer and A. H. A. Burbank, all of Defender, Calif.

JOHN F. ARMSTRONG,

ap16 Register.

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### Notice of Selection

Under Act of June 4, 1897.

(39 Stats., 36)

United States Land Office at Sacramento, State of California.

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that the Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Company has filed in this office its lieu selection under Act of June 4, 1897, (39 Stats., 36) for the NE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  and Lot 1 of Sec. 33, T. 5 N., R. 10 E., M. D. M.

A copy of this notice has been conspicuously posted in this office for the inspection of persons interested and the public generally.

During the five weeks' period of publication of this notice, or any time thereafter, and before final approval and certification, this office will receive protests or contests as to any of the tracts applied for, and transmit same to the General Land Office.

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JOHN F. ARMSTRONG,

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